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John E. Steele
District Judge

Date of Birth: 1949
Education: Detroit 1971 BA, 1973 JD
Began Service: July 28, 2000
Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

Government: Assistant Prosecuting Attorney, Wayne County, State of Michigan (1974-1977); Assistant Prosecuting Attorney, Ingham County, State of Michigan (1977-1980); Assistant United States Attorney, Western District of Michigan, United States Department of Justice (1980-1981); Assistant United States Attorney, Middle District of Florida, United States Department of Justice (1981-1988)

Judicial: Magistrate Judge, United States District Court for the Middle District of Florida (1991-2000)

Legal Practice: Attorney, Mahoney, Adams & Criser, P.A. (1988-1991)

Current Memberships: Federal Bar Association; The Florida Bar; State Bar of Michigan

Staff

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James S. Moody, Jr.
District Judge

Education: Florida 1969 BS, 1972 JD
Began Service: 2000
Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

Judicial: Circuit Judge, Thirteenth Judicial Circuit Court (1995-2000)

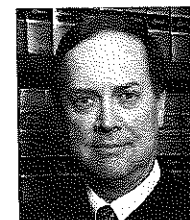
Legal Practice: Shareholder, Trinkle, Redman, Moody, Swanson, Byrd (1972-1994)

Staff

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**Gregory A. Presnell**
District Judge

Date of Birth: 1942
Education: William & Mary 1964 BA;
Florida 1966 JD
Began Service: August 2, 2000
Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

Legal Practice: Associate, Akerman Senterfitt and Edison, P.A. (1966-1970); Shareholder, Akerman Senterfitt and Edison, P.A. (1971-2000)

Staff

Law Clerk **Amanda Ballard** (407) 835-4309
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Timothy J. Corrigan
District Judge

Date of Birth: 1956
Education: Notre Dame 1978 BA; Duke 1981 JD
Began Service: September 14, 2002
Appointed By: President George W. Bush

Staff

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Virginia Hernandez Covington
District Judge

Date of Birth: 1955
Education: Tampa 1976 BS, 1977 MBA; Georgetown 1980 JD
Began Service: September 10, 2004
Appointed By: President George W. Bush

Government: Trial Attorney, Federal Trade Commission (1980-1981); Assistant State Attorney, County of Hillsborough, Florida (1982-1983); Assistant United States Attorney, Florida - Middle District, Office of the Attorney General, United States Department of Justice (1983-2001)

Judicial: Appellate Judge, Florida District Court of Appeal, Second District (2001-2004)

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Marcia Morales Howard
District Judge

Date of Birth: July 16, 1965
Education: Vanderbilt 1987 BS; Florida 1990 JD
Began Service: February 2007
Appointed By: President George W. Bush

Corporate: Counsel, Shawmut Bank of Boston, N.A. (1989-1990)

Judicial: Magistrate Judge, United States District Court for the Middle District of Florida (2003-2007)

Legal Practice: Associate, Commander, Legler, Werber, Dawes, Sadler & Howell (1990-1991); Associate, Foley & Lardner LLP (1991-1994); Partner, Hawkins Delafield & Wood LLP (1992-1998); Associate, McGuireWoods LLP (1994-1998); Partner, McGuireWoods LLP (1998-2003)

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; Federal Bar Association; Federal Magistrate Judges Association; The Florida Bar; Hispanic Bar Association of Northeast Florida; Jacksonville Bar Association

Staff

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George C. Young
Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1916
Education: Florida 1938 AB, 1940 LLB
Began Service: 1961
Appointed By: President John F. Kennedy

Government: Assistant City Attorney, City of Orlando, Florida (1941-1942); Administrative Assistant, George Smathers for Senator Campaign (1948-1951)

Legal Practice: Private Practice (1947-1948); Private Practice (1951-1961)

Military Service: United States Navy (1942-1946)

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; American Judicature Society; The American Law Institute; The Florida Bar; Jacksonville Bar Association

Chambers of Senior Judge George C. Young continued**Staff**

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Chambers of Senior Judge Howell W. Melton

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Howell W. Melton
Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1923
Education: Florida 1948 JD
Began Service: May 12, 1977
Appointed By: President Jimmy Carter



Government: Attorney, Anastasia Mosquito Control District, County of St. Johns, Florida (1956-1960); County Attorney, County of St. Johns, Florida (1959-1960)

Judicial: Judge, Florida Circuit Court, Seventh Judicial Circuit (1961-1977)

Legal Practice: Partner, Upchurch, Melton & Upchurch (1948-1961)

Military Service: United States Army (1943-1946); United States Army Reserve (1949-1953)

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; Jacksonville Chapter, Federal Bar Association; The Florida Bar; Jacksonville Bar Association; St. Johns County Bar Association

Staff

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William John Castagna
Senior Judge

Date of Birth: June 24, 1924
Education: Florida 1949 LLB
Began Service: July 24, 1979
Appointed By: President Jimmy Carter

Legal Practice: Private Practice (1949-1970); Partner, MacKenzie, Castagna, Bennison & Gardner (1970-1979)

Military Service: United States Air Force (1943-1945)

Staff

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